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EO 11652: GDS
TAGS: SNAR
SUBJ: ALLEGED STATE DEPARTMENT RESTRICTION OF DEA

SUMMARY: THERE HAS BEEN NO INSTANCE WHERE DEPARTMENT OR EMBASSY HAS RESTRICTED DEA OPERATIONS HERE. DEAN AND EMBASSY OFFICES HAVE WORKED CLOSELY TOGETHER TO INCREASE DEA'S EFFECTIVENESS HERE; END SUMMARY.

1. EMBASSY-DEA RELATIONS HAVE BEEN EXCELLENT. EMBASSY HAS ASSISTED DEA IN ITS CONTACT WORK AND WITH JOINT PROGRAMS NOT DIRECTLY RELATED TO DEA'S ENFORCEMENT FUNCTION, SUCH AS NARCOTICS TREATMENT LIAISON WITH GOI AND DRUG PRESENTATIONS TO COMMUNITY GROUPS.

2. DEA SAIC HAS COOPERATED CLOSELY WITH EMBASSY IN EXPANDING DEA'S ROLE ON QUESTION OF EXTENDED DEA ACCESS TO LOCAL INVESTIGATIVE OFFICERS, DEA HAS FOLLOWED SCENARIO AGREED UPON WITH EMBASSY AND HAS ESTABLISHED OVER LAST TWO MONTHS EXPANDED WORKING RELATIONS WITH IRANIAN NATIONAL POLICE NARCOTICS ADMINISTRATION (INPNA). UPON OBTAINING APPROVAL TO DIRECT INTERROGATION OF THOSE INVOLVED IN NARCOTICS CRIMES, DEA HAS HELPED INPNA WITH INTELLIGENCE WORK WHICH HAS LED TO TWO LARGE SEIZURES TOTALLING NEARLY TWO TONS ON MARCH 1 AND 13.

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3. EMBASSY HAS NOEVER "VETOED A DEA OPERATION". ON OCCASION WHEN QUESTION OF APPROPRIATE LEVELS OF CONTACT WITH GOI AROSE, EMBASSY AND DEA DISCUSSED ALTERNATIVE APPROACHES AND MUTUALLY AGREED UPON PLAN OF OPERATION. ESSENCE OF SUCCESSFUL EMBASSY/DEA RELATIONSHIP HERE IS COOPERATION AND COLLABORATION IN TERMS OF STATE/DEA

UNDERSTANDING WHICH RECOGNIZES DEA INVESTIGATIVE
EXPERTISE AND EMBASSY'S KNOWLEDGE OF LOCAL SCENE.
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